

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION

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MICHAEL W. DOBBINS  
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CHRISTOPHER GROOMS,  
EDDIE BRANTLEY,  
STANLEY HUNTER,  
UYLONDA HENDERSON, and  
ALLISAH LOVE

Plaintiffs,

v.

CITY OF CHICAGO POLICE OFFICERS  
DAVID TENCZA, #9203,  
WATACH, #19973,  
SERGEANT LEE, #909, and  
THE CITY OF CHICAGO,

Defendants.

Case No. 07C 6176

Judge Andersen

Magistrate Judge Valdez

Jury Demanded

**NOTICE OF FILING**

<b>TO:</b> City of Chicago Police Officers: David Tencza, #9203 Michelle Wantuck, #19973 Sergeant John Lee, #909 City of Chicago Police Headquarters 3510 South Michigan Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60653	The City of Chicago c/o The City of Chicago Corporation Counsel 30 N. LaSalle Street, Suite 1020 Chicago, Illinois 60602
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On Thursday, November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2007, at the United States District Court, Northern District of Illinois, Eastern Division, 219 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois; Plaintiff Allisah Love filed **PLAINTIFFS PROOF OF INNOCENCE AND DISMISSAL OF CRIMINAL CASE.**

Allisah Love  
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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I, the undersigned plaintiff, certify that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2007, I served a copy of this notice to each person to whom it is directed by way of hand delivery and/or U.S. Mail before the hour of 5 pm.

Allisah M. Love  
Signature/Certification

15 November 2007  
Date

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**PLAINTIFFS PROOF OF INNOCENCE AND DISMISSAL OF CRIMINAL CASE**

1. Now come the Plaintiffs Christopher Grooms, Eddie Brantley, Stanley Hunter, Uylonda Henderson, and Allisah Love; providing this honorable court with proof of Plaintiff Christopher Grooms' innocence of the class 4 felony possession charges filed against by Defendant and the dismissal of the corresponding criminal case.

2. On November 14, 2007, Plaintiff Christopher Grooms appeared before the Honorable Adam Donald Bourgeois at 9 a.m. in the Circuit Court of Cook County, Branch 48, located at 155 West 51<sup>st</sup> Street, Chicago Illinois for a preliminary hearing regarding his arrest on October 23, 2007.

3. At the afore mentioned preliminary hearing, Plaintiff Christopher Grooms' case was dismissed by the Honorable Adam Donald Bourgeois, per the request of the state prosecutor who confirmed that the lab results of the alleged controlled substance, which was the alleged basis of Plaintiff Christopher Grooms' arrest, came back negative; meaning that the substance tested was not a controlled substance.

4. Due to the dismissal of the criminal case, Counsel for Plaintiff Christopher Grooms was unable to have his motion granted that the 911 dispatch tapes and event entries via computer from the Office of Emergency and Management Communications be preserved for the incidents occurring on October 23, 2007, which led to the filing of case 07C 6176 in federal court.

**WHEREFORE**, Plaintiffs respectfully submit the attached Certified Statement of Disposition showing proof of Plaintiff Christopher Grooms' innocence and the dismissal of the criminal case filed against him.

Respectfully Submitted on  
behalf of all Plaintiffs,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Allisah M. Love".

Allisah Love  
Pro se Plaintiff

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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS

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PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS

VS

NUMBER 07113984401

CHRISTOPHE GROOMS

CERTIFIED STATEMENT OF CONVICTION / DISPOSITION

I, DOROTHY BROWN, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County, Illinois, and keeper of the records and seal thereof do hereby certify that the electronic records of the Circuit Court of Cook County show that:

The States Attorney of Cook County/Local Prosecutor has filed a complaint with the Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Charging the above named defendant with:

720-570-402-C

F (ATT)

The following disposition(s) was/were rendered before the Honorable Judge(s):

10/23/07 PROBABLE CAUSE TO DETAIN

SULLIVAN LAURA MARIE

10/23/07 DEFENDANT REL ON I BOND

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SULLIVAN LAURA MARIE

10/23/07 MOTION STATE - CONTINUANCE -MS

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SULLIVAN LAURA MARIE

10/23/07 DEF DEMAND FOR TRIAL

SULLIVAN LAURA MARIE

10/23/07 PRE-TRL SERV MONITORING PROGM

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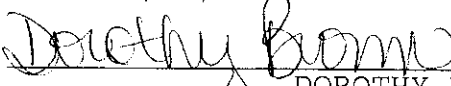
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BOURGEOIS ADAM DONALD JR.

I hereby certify that the foregoing has been entered of record on the above captioned case.

Date 11/14/07



DOROTHY BROWN

CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY